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SUBJ: INTERNATIONAL VISITOR GRANTS FOR LABOR CONVENTION (  
(SARTORI/SIRONI)

REF: STATE'S 145837 AND 158957; ROME'S 7481 AND 8205

1. SARTORI REGRETS CHANGE OF PLANS BUT UNABLE TRAVEL WASHINGTON AND MIAMI FOR OPENING AFL-CIO CONVENTION AND RELATED ACTIVITIES. SARTORI AND HIS UNION HOSTING CONFERENCE 15-18 OCTOBER ON POSSIBLE TRADE UNION RESPONSE AND RESPONSIBILITY IN POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND MONETARY PROBLEMS FACING ITALY IN AUTOMN 1973. FOLLOWING CONFERENCE SARTORI UNION HOLDING GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING. EARLIEST HE COULD ARRIVE MIAMI WOULD BE OCTOBER 21, AND BECAUSE OF NOW FORESEEN COMMITMENT LATER IN OCTOBER AND EARLY NOVEMBER SARTORI COULD NOT REMAIN IN U.S. FOR NORMAL PERIOD IV GRANT. THEREFORE, HE WOULD PREFER POSTPONING IV GRANT TRAVEL UNTIL JULY 1974.

2. SIRONI WILL LEAVE FOR US ON OCTOBER 6 TO ATTEND PUBLIC SERVICES INTERNATIONAL (PSI) CONGRESS. HE HOPES TO BE ABLE TO ATTEND AFL-CIO CONVENTION PERHAPS FROM 18-20 OCT. IF THIS IMPOS- SIBLE HE HOPES TO MEET WITH AFL-CIO OFFICIALS PRIOR TO CONVENTION.

3. EMBASSY PROPOSES TO FUND PARTIAL GRANT, COVERING THE US COSTS FOR SIRONI. ON SARTORI EMBASSY ASSUMES DEPARTMENT WOULD NOT RECOMMEND USE OF FULL IV GRANT FOR VISIT OF SUCH SHORT DURATION (2 WEEKS OR LESS).VOLPE

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